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Exercise 1.

1. Farmers plow. 2. Ice melts. 3. Trees have grown. 4. James has written. 5. Stars shine. 6. Susan may recite. 7. Dogs will bark. 8. Water freezes. 9. Vice degrades. 10. Rain will fall. 11. Roses fade. 12. Mary should study. 13. Fishes can swim. 14. George runs. 15. Flowers will bloom. 16. Time flies. 17. Men should work. 18. Charles had returned. 19. Thunder rolls. 20. Fire will burn. 21. John can read. 22. Girls should play. 23. Soldiers march. 24. Horses will trot. 25. Virtue ennobles.

Exercise 2.

1. Good scholars will learn. 2. Constant effort succeeds. 3. Cold winter has returned. 4. Damp weather chills. 5. Huge lions roar. 6. Studious boys will excel. 7. Happy children play. 8. Sharp lightnings flashed. 9. Mad dogs will bite. 10. Skillful artists paint. 11. Quiet sleep refreshes. 12. Bleak winds whistle.

13. Honest labor exalts. 14. Fragrant flowers have bloomed. 15. Bad boys will cheat. 16. Wise men are respected. 17. Brave soldiers fight. 18. Hot water scalds. 19. Industrious men will prosper. 20. Idle scholars annoy. 21. Heavy icicles have fallen. 22. Dead leaves rustle. 23. Sharp knives will cut. 24. Noble minds aspire. 25. Bad habits have increased.

Exercise 3.

1. Many small insects crawl. 2. The bright sun shines. 3. These large red apples will decay. 4. The first pleasant day came. 5. Every vicious habit should be avoided.

6. The two weary travelers have returned. 7. One large ripe pear remains. 8. Much valuable time has been lost. 9. The crisp frozen snow creaks.

10. Those valiant soldiers conquered. 11. Many important events have occurred. 12. Several large animals appeared. 13. The mighty waves recede. 14. Those merry shouts resound. 15. The merciful Father pities. 16. Each pupil may recite. 17. Some vicious horses rear. 18. Several beautiful ships sailed.

19. That bright dazzling blue will fade. 20. Those stern quiet words rebuke. 21. Several serious accidents occurred. 22. The anxious mother watches. 23. That sweet musical voice delights. 24. Those two good children agree. 25. This pure fresh air revives.

Exercise 4.

1. Those large red apples are sweet. 2. A good pupil will be industrious. 3. That long bloody war was disastrous. 4. The clear sky is blue. 5. That wide river is deep. 6. This new brick church is large. 7. The early morning was beautiful. 8. This refreshing breeze is delightful. 9. All bad companions are dangerous.

10. These new scholars are studious. 11. Those large yellow oranges are delicious. 12. The high wind is boisterous. 13. That marvelous story is false. 14. Extreme heat is oppressive. 15. The latest news is more favorable. 16. This lar e bright flower is pretty. 17. The torrid zone is hot.

18. Many flowers are fragrant. 19. Such an assertion is false. 20. Every new lesson was difficult. 21. The wind is fresh. 22. Any good book is instructive. 23. All green fruit is unwholesome. 24. The frigid zone is cold. 25. All men are mortal.

Exercise 5.

1. This man's occupation is gone. 2. Each officer's portrait was painted. 3. The teacher's kind demands were heeded. 4. Sarah's lesson has been recited. 5. Wellington's forces were victorious. 6. The king's palace was deserted. 7. The lawyer's effort was successful. 8. Webster's elegant speech was applauded.

9. The boy's book was stolen. 10. An Indian's hatchet was found. 11. Solomon's temple was destroyed. 12. The President's proclamation has been read. 13. Napoleon's army was destroyed. 14. Milton's poems are admired. 15. The fisherman's boat was lost. 16. The President's message should be read.

17. Sir Walter Scott's works are read. 18. The officer's commands should be obeyed. 19. The lion's roar was terrific. 20. The queen's grand palace was burned. 21. The carpenter's axe was dull. 22. A good man's works are enduring. 23. William's lesson must be learned. 24. The farmer's horse was slow. 25. The sun's warm rays are delightful.

Exercise 6.

1. The wise men of the east arrived. 2. Dickens' great works of fiction will be read. 3. The brave general of the army was killed. 4. Gough's humorous lecture on "Circumstances," was applauded. 5. The wearisome labors of the day are ended. 6. John's new book of tales was lost. 7. Every dollar of the debt shall be paid.

8. The wide doors of the king's palace were opened. 9. The soft fur of the sable is valued. 10. The author's works of romance were praised. 11. The speaker's words of eloquence resounded. 12. A pupil of studious habits

will be respected. 13. The lawyer's able argument in court was concluded.

14. The entire army under General Lee was routed. 15. The strongest oak of the forest fell. 16. The happy voice of the child was heard. 17. Flowers of many beautiful colors were seen. 18. The rays of the rising sun are pleasant. 19. The happiest bird of our spring has arrived.

20. The large iron gate of the jail was closed. 21. A disease of great malignity prevailed. 22. The laws of the land must be obeyed. 23. Many valuable books on history have been published. 24. The sweetest singer in the opera fainted. 25. A large quantity of military stores were destroyed.

Exercise 7.

1. A good boy will obey his parents. 2. True wisdom inspires humility. 3. The teacher rewarded the pupils. 4. William has gathered the ripe fruit. 5. The girls have found many pretty flowers. 6. Titus destroyed Jerusalem. 7. Hannibal defeated the Romans. 8. The industrious farmer ploughs the ground.

9. Evil communications corrupt good manners. 10. The industrious bee collects honey. 11. Charles bought a new knife. 12. The boys may study geography. 13. The sun will melt the snow. 14. Gen. Washington commanded a large army. 15. Studious boys learn many valuable lessons. 16. Columbus discovered America.

17. The lightning struck the tall tree. 18. Experience keeps a dear school. 19. Many persons have lost large fortunes. 20. A wise son maketh a glad father. 21. A little neglect may cause great mischief. 22. A small spark

may kindle a great fire. 23. Kind speeches comfort the heavy heart. 24. A rolling stone gathers no moss. 25. Constant occupation prevents temptation.

Exercise 8.

1. Some large ripe pears fell from the tree. 2. The lecturer's familiar voice was heard in the hall. 3. Many sweet flowers bloomed in the garden. 4. Solomon's sons were driven from the throne. 5. John's father wrote a letter to Samuel's brother. 6. The loud roar of the lion was heard in the forest.

7. A terrible storm of rain passed over the city. 8. A ship of the largest size was sunk by the enemy. 9. The soldiers' camp was invaded by the enemy. 10. The noisy prisoners were watched by the guard. 11. Several small birds were flying in the air. 12. "The Wrecker's Daughter" was played by the band.

13. The king's faithful officers searched for smuggled goods. 14. A violent storm of wind passed over the lakes. 15. The tall oak in the forest was shattered by lightning. 16. The army of Xerxes was defeated by the Greeks. 17. A collection of money was taken at the church. 18. A beautiful gray squirrel hid in the tree.

19. An Indian's hatchet was found under the leaves. 20. The President's proclamation was sent to Congress. 21. The merchant's beautiful ship was wrecked on the shore. 22. The path through the woods is frequented by visitors. 23. That large apple grew on a small tree. 24. Many important events have happened during the year. 25. Washington's birthday was celebrated on Monday.

Exercise 9.

1. Good pupils study diligently. 2. The orator spoke eloquently. 3. A large eagle flew rapidly away. 4. Virtuous youth brings forth flourishing manhood. 5. A good name will shine forever- 6. The courier's horse traveled swiftly. 7. James has studied his lesson faithfully. 8. The fairest flowers wither quickly.

9. The foreign steamer will sail to-morrow. 10. The death of the great statesman was announced yesterday. 11. These flowers smell very sweet. 12. Washington skillfully retreated to New York with his army. 13. The retreat of the soldiers was conducted very skillfully. 14. William's youngest sister writes elegantly.

15. The merry sun shines brightly. 16. The campaign opened vigorously. 17. A wise man sometimes changes his mind. 18. The refreshing showers soon revive the drooping plants. 19. Leonadas gallantly defended the narrow pass.

20. All earthly enjoyments will soon pass away. 21. The Greenlanders live almost exclusively on animal food. 22. Earthquakes frequently occur in California. 23. The earth moves swiftly round the sun. 24. Light travels swiftly from the sun to the earth. 25. Comets sometimes appear among the stars.

Exercise 10.

1. He has read my book. 2. We have elected them to office. 3. They have learned their lessons in school. 4. You must study your lesson at home. 5. I will see you at church in the morning. 6. We should obey our parents at all times. 7. I will walk in the garden with you. 8. You came to me at noon.

9. William caught your horse in the field. 10. You can walk by the shore in the evening. 11. Susan loves her sister. 12. The farmer ploughs his field in the early spring. 13. My horse is in your barn. 14. Your brother came with us in the carriage. 15. We will take a ride with you in the morning. 16. It is in my book.

17. He cooled his parched lips with water. 18. I will call you in the morning. 19. You can take my horse from the stable. 20. You may ride my horse. 21. He left the home of his childhood. 22. It was warmed by the sun. 23. Your book is on my desk. 24. John's pen is in his book. 25. My brother came with me.

Exercise 11.

1. Goodness always enriches the possessor. 2. The voice of pleasure warbles in every grove. 3. The smiling flowers blow beneath the sun. 4. The woods tossed their quiet branches against a stormy sky. 5. Forth in the pleasing spring Thy beauty walks. 6. The curfew tolls the knell of parting day.

7. A railroad train was rushing along at great speed. 8. The warrior's measured tread echoes from the groaning ground. 9. Their light armed archers, far and near, surveyed the tangled ground. 10. The heavens declare the glory of God. 11. The love of praise glows in every heart. 12. Many important events have happened during the year.

13. The press should maintain the rights of the people. 14. The enemy was advancing on their right. 15. The revolution of the earth around the sun causes the seasons. 16. The breaking waves dashed high on a stern aud rock-bound coast. 17. I hear the thunder's solemn sound. 18. Slowly and sadly they climb the distant mountain.

19. The secret things belong to God. 20. We must not invade the rights of others. 21. The love of applause has ruined many people. 22. John Smith explored the coast of New England in the seventeenth century. 23. My host remained with me during the night. 24. The capture of Burgoyne's army raised the spirits of the patriots. 25. Wellington's victory at Waterloo decided the fate of Napoleon.

Exercise 12.

1. The bright light of the moon shone through the window. 2. Empty vessels make the greatest sound. 3. The truth will always triumph. 4. The company left for Boston in the early train. 5. Trifles often lead to serious matters. 6. An angry man opens his mouth and stops his eyes. 7. The charm in manners consists in simplicity.

8. The man fell from the top of your house. 9. A small leak will sink a great ship. 10. A thousand probabilities will not make one truth. 11. The woods resounded with laughter and song. 12. Oil and truth will get uppermost at last. 13. Application in youth makes old age comfortable. 14. A good cause makes a stout heart.

14. A wounded reputation is seldom cured. 16. Henry's father has returned from Boston. 17. The company left for Boston in the early train. 18. A drowning man will catch at a straw. 20. Birds of a feather flock together. 21. The happiest bird of our spring comes in the month of May. 22. The eye is charmed by a variety of objects. 23. Napoleon led his army ever the Alps. 24. Our friends may arrive on the last train.

Exercise 13.

1. The sun warms the earth. 2. The earth is warmed by the sun. 3. Columbus discovered America. 4. Solomon's temple was destroyed by Titus. 5. The Arctic regions were explored by Dr. Kane. 6. Leonidas gallantly defended the narrow pass of Thermopylae. 7. Unequal war was maintained by the Saxons. 8. The judge sentenced the criminal at the bar.

9. Honor will be awarded to the student for industry. 10. Marble statues were chiseled by the sculptor. 11. We should not break a good resolution. 12. The Israelites were conducted out of Egypt by Moses. 13. Many brave sailors navigate the sea. 14. The industrious boy has his lesson. 15. Experience frequently keeps a dear school.

16. Our country was invaded by a powerful army. 17. David wrote the Book of Psalms. 18. Cornwallis was defeated by Gen. Washington at Yorktown. 19. The law of gravitation was discovered by Newton. 20. Washington gained a decisive victory over the British at Trenton.

21. The Nile overflows its banks annually. 22. Steam has increased the wealth and prosperity of the nation. 23. God created the heavens and the earth. 24. No excellence is gained without great labor. 25. Rice was brought to the West Indies by Columbus.

Exercise 14.

1. The restless sea dashes against the gray rocks. 2. The huntsman's horn had aroused the timid hare. 3. Hope will sustain the heart in the time of trouble. 4. The faithful dog guarded his master's home. 5. The earth receives its light from the sun. 6. The battle of Vicksburg was fought under the command of Gen. Grant.

7. The diligent student will reap a rich reward. 8. The sufferings of men are frequently caused by their errors. 9. The historian had collected the materials for his work. 10. The aeronaut will have ascended in the balloon. 11. Many persons have sought in vain for happiness. 12. The territory of Alaska was purchased by the United States.

13. Grapes are cultivated in the southern part of France. 14. Time will correct many abuses. 15. A thirst for power has ruined many able men. 16. The foreign steamer had sailed out of the harbor. 17. The decisive battle will have been fought. 18. The home of the condor is among the peaks of the Andes.

19. The clergyman had delivered his farewell discourse. 20. A soft answer will frequently turn away wrath. 21. The eruptions of Vesuvius have destroyed many cities. 22. Mines of silver are found in the State of Nevada. 23. Friends will abound in times of prosperity. 24. The miser will have concealed his treasures. 25. Wheat grows abundantly in the United States.

Exercise 15.

1. You should not kill the pretty birds. 2. Fear may keep a man out of danger. 3. The branches of a tree can be trained. 4. Can man explain all things? 5. Congress may have passed the law. 6. A nation should merit the rights of liberty. 7. Good intentions can never justify evil actions. 8. The young should be diligent and industrious.

9. John should have finished his work. 10. Cæsar should have paused at the Rubicon. 11. A small leak may sink a great ship. 12. A bill in a legislative body must

have three readings. 13. A good resolution should not be broken. 14. May you live long and happily. 15. The captive could not have obtained his freedom. 15. Can truth and honesty fail of their reward?

16. The clouds may have obscured the sun. 17. He should have remonstrated with his friend. 18. Our friends may arrive in the last train. 19. A good name should be chosen. 20. The captain should have consulted his chart. 21. You should always conduct yourself with prudence. 22. A full vessel must be carried carefully. 23. May his fame endure forever. 24. Can the leopard change his spots?

Exercise 16.

1. Acquire honesty; seek humility; practise economy; love fidelity. 2. Admonish your enemy temperately. 3. Never sport with pain or poverty. 4. Lose no opportunity of doing a good action. 5. Never make a mountain of a molehill. 6. Trifle not with honor. 7. Shun the society of the depraved. 7. Do not laugh at life's long sorrow.

8. Live within your means. 9. Cast your burden on the Lord. 10. Speak evil of no one. 11. Keep good company. 12. Live peaceably with all men. 13. Take my yoke upon you. 14. Always conduct yourselves with propriety. 15. Keep thy heart with all diligence. 16. Judge men by their actions. 17. Hide me under the shadow of thy wings.

18. Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth. 19. Boast not thyself of to-morrow. 20. Trust not a great weight to a slender thread. 21. Murmur not at misfortunes. 22. Put not your trust in princes. 23. Remove not the ancient landmark. 24. Do not measure other people's corn by your own bushel.

Exercise 17.

1. The French were compelled to leave the city of Moscow. 2. Leonidas resolved to defend the narrow pass. 3. We should talk to please others. 4. The clock was about to strike. 5. He desired to explain the circumstance. 6. I came not here to talk. 7. Shakespeare did not fail to take advantage of the circumstances.

8. Scorn to do a mean action. 9. Cæsar ought not to have crossed the Rubicon. 10. Be always ready to forgive an injury. 11. Strive to excel in every good work. 12. The captives ought to have been released. 13. He sought opportunity to betray him. 14. Do we intend to violate that solemn obligation?

15. Master Edward seemed to exert himself to be particularly entertaining and diligent. 16. We do not mean to submit. 17. The captain ought to have consulted his chart. 18. The house needs to be repaired. 19. Beggars have no right to be choosers.

20. Let me have leave to speak to you. 21. The signal to begin was immediately given. 22. There seems to have been a general turning of the minds of men. 23. A fool always finds a greater fool to admire him.

Exercise 18.

1. Let not the sun set upon your anger. 2. I hear thee speak of the better land. 3. Did you see the sun rise yesterday? 4. John let his cousin ride with him. 5. I can make him go. 6. They saw him fall from the building. 7. We heard them sing. 8. They would have us go.

9. We heard the thunder roll. 10. Would you have

us reject this offer? 11. Let all the people rejoice. 12. Will you let me see your new book? 13. I heard you knock at the door. 14. You need not come. 15. I dare not go out in this severe storm. 16. Would you have us remain longer? 17. Can you see the moon rise?

18. We can hear the sea roar. 19. Let the people clap their hands for joy. 20. Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter. 21. Let the wicked forsake his way. 22. Let every man be fully persuaded in his own mind. 23. Let not your heart be troubled. 24. Let the unrighteous man forsake his thoughts. 25. Let us crown ourselves with rare buds.

Exercise 19.

1. O, coward conscience, how thou dost afflict me! 2. O, Rome, Rome, wherefore art thou, Rome? 3. Friends, Romans, Countrymen,—lend me your ears. 4. Take, O Boatman, thrice thy fee. 5. O pilot, 'tis a fearful night. 6. Woodman, spare that tree. 7. You must call me early, mother dear.

8. My friends, our country must be free! 9. Sunbeam of summer, O what is like thee? 10. Sweet bird, thy bower is ever green. 11. Chiefs and warriors, you are welcome to our hall of counsel. 12. I thank thee, Roderick, for the word. 13. Proud city, thou art doomed. 14. Break, Break, Break, on thy cold gray stones, O Sea!

15. Sail on, O Ship of State. 16. Rejoice, O young man, in the days of thy youth. 17. Flag of the free, forever float thy standard sheets. 18. Ye sons of freedom, wake to glory. 19. Your fathers, where are they?

20. Thy wish was father, Harry, to that thought. 21. I thank thee, Jew, for teaching me that word. 22. Romans, countrymen and lovers,—hear me for my cause. 23. There is no terror, Cassius, in thy threats. 24. Hear me, my friends.

Exercise 20.

1. The early sun, having awakened the traveler, is shining upon his path. 2. A mighty army, flushed with victory, is approaching the city. 3. By entertaining good thoughts you will keep out bad ones. 4. A word uttered can never be recalled. 5. They marched round the city seeking an entrance. 6. Truth, crushed to earth, shall rise again.

7. There was little sleep between the rising and setting of the sun. 8. The officer, having been wounded, could not advance with his regiment. 9. A large stone came rolling down the side of the mountain. 10. The young lady being admired and applauded, became vain. 11. The enemy, pursued by our forces, retreated. 12. We saw the sun rising in the east.

13. A railroad train came rushing along at full speed. 14. The pupils were seated at the table preparing their lessons. 15. The shepherd was on the mountain watching his flocks. 16. Washington, having conquered the British forces, resigned his commission. 17. Being convinced of his guilt, we resolved to punish him. 18. You will keep out evil thoughts by entertaining good ones.

19. By consulting the best authors we may become learned. 20. Hope long deferred maketh the heart sick. 21. They narrowly escaped being taken prisoners. 22. We saw them approaching the shore. 23. In avoid-

ing one error do not fall into another. 24. Still achieving, still pursuing, learn to labor and to wait. 25. A ship was seen sailing in the harbor.

Exercise 21.

1. Bacon was a distinguished writer. 2. Her ways are ways of pleasantness. 3. War is the last argument of kings. 4. Economy is a great income. 5. Washington was called the father of his country. 6. The desire for glory is the torch of the mind. 7. The whole creation is a picture gallery. 8. The Duke of Wellington was an able general.

9. Necessity is the mother of invention. 10. Boston is the capitol of Massachusetts. 11. To-morrow will be the happiest time of all the glad new year. 12. Patrick Henry was an eloquent patriot. 13. The first president of the United States was George Washington. 14. Columbus was a native of Genoa.

15. Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty. 16. The philosopher's lamp is the light of experience. 17. The will of the people is the law of the land. 18. Procrastination is the thief of time. 19. Confidence is a plant of slow growth.. 20. The king's name is a tower of strength.

21. The love of money is the root of all evil. 22. Every man is the architect of his own fortune. 23. The face is the index of the mind. 24. I have been a stranger in a strange land. 25. The blood of the martyrs is the seed of the church.

Exercise 22.

1. Cyrus the Great, founded the Persian Empire.

2. Franklin, the philosopher, first drew lightning from the clouds. 3. The victory of William, the conqueror, at the battle of Hastings, decided the fate of England. 4. Samuel Woodworth, the author of several popular poems, was a printer by trade.

5. Herod, king of Judea, beheaded John the Baptist, for Herodias' sake, his brother Philip's wife. 6. Paradise Lost was written by Milton, the poet. 7. Leonidas, the brave Spartan hero, gallantly defended the narrow pass at Thermopylae. 8. I will not for David, thy father's sake. 9. Washington, the father of his country, was born in Virginia.

10. Thomas Jefferson, the third president of the United States, has been styled the sage of Monticello. 11. Alexander the Great, made himself master of Tyre, after a siege of seven years. 12. Charles Sumner, the American orator, statesman and scholar, visited Europe. 13. Darius, king of Persia, was succeeded by his son Xerxes.

14. Washington, the hero and statesman, enjoyed the confidence of the people. 15. Napoleon, Emperor of France, made war with Prussia. 16. Virtue, the strength and beauty of the soul, is the best gift of heaven. 17. Harold, the Saxon king, was defeated by William, the Conqueror.

18. Paul, the Apostle to the Gentiles, was a celebrated orator. 19. The following lines are from Cicero, the orator and statesman. 20. Marshall, Chief Justice of the United States, was an officer in the war of the Revolution. 21. The telescope was invented by Galileo, the celebrated astronomer. 22. The law of gravitation was discovered by Newton, the philosopher. 23. Elias

Howe, an American mechanic, invented the sewing machine. 24. Mary, Queen of England, was a catholic. 25. Bunyan, the distinguished author, wrote "Pilgrim's Progress."

Exercise 23.

1. The fur which warms a monarch warmed a bear. 2. Those things which cannot be cured must be endured. 3. You have done that which you should be sorry for. 4. They are never alone who are accompanied by noble thoughts. 5. We should carefully avoid those things which give others pain. 6. Soft is the music that would charm forever.

7. The stone which the builders rejected has become the head stone of the corner. 8. A man that hath friends should show himself friendly. 9. He that swells in prosperity will shrink in adversity. 10. All that glitters is not gold. 11. They sin who tell us love can die. 12. Avoid that which you condemn in others.

13. He who masters his passions conquers his greatest enemy. 14. Do nothing to-day that you are likely to repent of to-morrow. 15. The man who injures another is his own foe. 16. Minds that have nothing to confer have little to perceive. 17. They never fail who die in a good cause. 18. The hand that made us is divine. 19. He who acts wisely deserves praise.

20. That life is long which answers life's great end. 21. The people were compelled to acquiesce in a government which they did not regard as just. 22. The officer forgot the directions which were given to him. 23. There was one clear, shining star that came out before the others. 24. He that observeth the wind shall

not sow. 25. Render therefore unto Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's.

Exercise 24.

1. We believe what we see. 2. We should strive to accomplish whatever we undertake. 3. I saw what you did. 4. Whoever would excel should labor diligently. 5. Never put off till to-morrow what should be done to-day. 6. Whatever is unknown is thought to be magnificent. 7. You have done what you should be sorry for.

8. Whoever grasps much holds little. 9. What is done cannot be undone. 10. He has lost whatever reputation he had. 11. Whoever seeks the good of others will be rewarded. 12. You can take which ever you choose. 13. I heard what was said by the speaker. 14. Whatsoever he doeth shall prosper. 15. Whoever injures another is his own foe.

16. Who steals my purse steals trash. 17. I forgot what I intended to say. 18. We should carefully avoid what gives pain to others. 19. The speaker understood what he was saying. 20. I have ascertained what route we must take.

21. Whoever gives promptly, doubles the gift. 22. We ought to love whatever is good. 23. Whoever conquers himself in victory conquers a second time. 24. Whoever exalteth himself shall be abased. 25. Many condemn what they do not understand.

Exercise 25.

1. When bad men combine, the good must associate. 2. If there be no rain the grass would soon wither.

3. We talked earnestly as we walked together. 4. The sentinel gave the alarm when he discovered the enemy. 5. Though he slay me, yet will I trust in him. 6. As the way was difficult, we proceeded slowly. 7. Pompey was not so great a man as Cæsar.

8. Let him that standeth take heed lest he fall. 9. If you would gain knowledge, study with attention. 10. The clouds were gathering as we reached the shore. 11. Rich gifts wax poor when givers prove unkind. 12. When the wicked rule, the people mourn. 13. We dismounted as quickly as we could. 14. Conscience remonstrates while we are doing wrong.

15. Thy word teaches me the path of duty, as a lamp lights the way of my feet. 16. Hope cheers the dark hours of life, as a star lights the gloom of night. 17. When one will not, two cannot quarrel. 18. Command your temper, lest it command you. 19. The wicked flee when no man pursueth.

20. Resist a temptation till you conquer it. 21. The sweet remembrance of the just shall flourish when he sleeps in dust. 22. The childhood shows the man, as morning shows the day. 23. Many a year is in its grave since I crossed this restless wave. 24. Deep in the wave is a coral grove, where the sea flower spreads its leaves of blue.

Exercise 26.

1. To be good is to be wise. 2. I knew that he told the truth. 3. To die for one's country is sweet. 4. Many suppose that the planets are inhabited. 5. A desire to see his face once more, induced us to attempt the journey. 6. That you have wronged me doth ap-

pear in this. 7. Talleyrand said that the purpose of language is to conceal thought.

8. That the prisoner at the bar is guilty cannot be denied. 9. To acquire knowledge is the duty of all men. 10. To be a good soldier was his highest ambition. 11. The farmer said his watch had gained half an hour during the night. 12. All nations believe that the soul is immortal.

13. That the soul is immortal, is believed by all nations. 14. Not to know me argues yourself unknown. 15. To be forewarned is to be forearmed. 16. That the earth is spherical was unknown to the ancient astronomers. 17. Pope says, "An honest man is the noblest work of God." 18. To use intoxicating drink is injurious to health.

19. How an acorn becomes an oak is a great mystery. 20. To overcome evil with good is noble. 21. Loving our neighbor as ourselves is fulfilling the law. 22. We are asked, what have we gained by the war? 23. To avoid temptation to evil is wise. 24. "Knowledge is power," said Bacon. 25. The way to be truly honored is to be truly good.

Exercise 27.

1. Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people. 2. Talent knows what to do, but tact knows how to do it. 3. Virtue is uniform and fixed; but honor is unstable. 4. Honor is a fleeting shadow; but virtue is an enduring treasure. 5. The wicked flee when no man pursueth; but the righteous are as bold as a lion.

6. He who renders a service should forget it; but he who receives it should remember it. 7. Eagles generally go alone; but small birds go in flocks. 8. Reading makes a full man, speaking a ready man, and writing an exact man. 9. Washington was a brave general, and Jefferson an able statesman.

10. Render therefore unto Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's, and unto God the things that are God's. 11. He that observeth the winds shall not sow; and he that regardeth the clouds shall not reap. 12. The trees are in blossom, and the air is filled with fragrant perfumes. 13. The army was victorious, but the general was slain.

14. Learn your lesson, otherwise you must lose your rank. 15. You take my house when you take the prop that doth sustain my house; you take my life when you take the means whereby I live. 16. Bacon was a distinguished writer, and Newton a celebrated philosopher. 17. A wise man feareth, and departeth from evil; but the fool rageth, and is confident.

18. Philosophy may enable us to look down upon earth with contempt; but religion teaches us to look up to heaven with hope. 19. Randolph might be taken for a philosopher; Jefferson was certainly a man of genius. 20. The house of the wicked shall be overthrown; but the tabernacle of the upright shall flourish. 21. Homer leads us with a commanding impetuosity; Virgil with an attractive majesty.

22. A faithful man shall abound with blessings; but he that maketh haste to be rich shall not be innocent. 23. The notions of Dryden were formed by comprehensive speculation; those of Pope by minute attention.

24. Xerxes, in projecting the conquest of Greece, did not anticipate the defeat of his army; but he was compelled to witness their overthrow. 25. Beware of idleness; for it tendeth to poverty.

Exercise 28.

1. Lochiel, Lochiel! beware of the day
When the Lowlands shall meet thee in battle array.

2. He who fights and runs away
May live to fight another day;
But he who is in battle slain
Can never rise and fight again.

3. 'Tis distance lends enchantment to the view,
And robes the mountain in its azure hue.

4. Where'er I roam, whatever realms to see,
My heart untramelled fondly turns to thee.

5. How blest is he who crowns, in shades like these,
A youth of labor with an age of ease.

6. Then join in hand, brave Americans all;
By uniting we stand, by dividing we fall.

7. Man is the nobler growth our realms supply,
And souls are ripened in our northern sky.

8. 'Tis the sunset of life gives me mystical lore,
And coming events cast their shadows before.

9. The Assyrian came down like the wolf on the fold,
And his cohorts were gleaming in purple and gold.

10. The breaking waves dashed high
On a stern and rock-bound coast;
And the woods against the stormy sky,
Their giant branches tossed.

11. Count that day lost whose low descending sun
Views from thy hand no worthy action done.

12. And never shall the sons of Columbia be slaves
While the earth bears a plant or the sea rolls its waves.

13. Love in your heart as idly burns
As fire in antique Roman urns.

14. He cast off his friends as a huntsman his pack,
For he knew when he pleased he could whistle them back.

15. A footstep was heard in the rustling brake,
Where the beech o'ershadowed the misty lake.

16. While stands the Coliseum, Rome shall stand;
When falls the Coliseum, Rome shall fall;
And when Rome falls,—the world.

17. An upright minister asks, What recommends a man? a corrupt minister, Who?

18. Whoever dreads punishment, suffers it; and whoever deserves it, dreads it.

19. It is more honorable to acknowledge our faults than to boast of our merits.

20. Have the courage to admit that you have been in the wrong, and you will remove the fact from the minds of others.

22. He who would thrive must rise at five; but he that has thriven may lie till seven.

23. "Whatever is, is right," says Pope.

24. "All's well that ends well," is a familiar proverb.

25. Learn of the mole to plow; the mouse to weave.

Exercise 29.

1. 'Tis true, the world was made for Cæsar and for Titus, too.

2. The patriots not dispersing, Pitcairn ordered his men to fire.

3. That which we have acquired with most difficulty, we retain the longest.

4. In face of death he dared to fling defiance to a tyrant king.

5. Vice to be hated needs but to be seen.

6. I turn me from my country's light
   To dwell in solemn shades of endless night.

7. Know then this truth (enough for man to know),—
   Virtue alone is happiness below.

8. Each rising art by just gradation moves;
   Toil builds on toil, and age on age improves.

9. The Stuart sceptre well she swayed, but the sword she could not wield.

10. Night, sable goddess, from her ebon throne, in rayless majesty, now stretches forth her leaden sceptre o'er a slumbering world.

11. O sacred truth! thy triumph ceased awhile;
    And hope, thy sister, ceased with thee to smile,
    Where leagued oppression poured to northern wars
    Her whiskered pandoors and her fierce huzzas,
    Waved her dread standard to the breeze of morn,
    Pealed her loud drum, and twanged her trumpet horn.

12. How sleep the brave, who sink to rest,
    By all their country's wishes blest!
    When spring, with dewy fingers cold,
    Returns to deck their hallowed mould,
    She there shall dress a sweeter sod
    Than fancy's feet have ever trod.

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